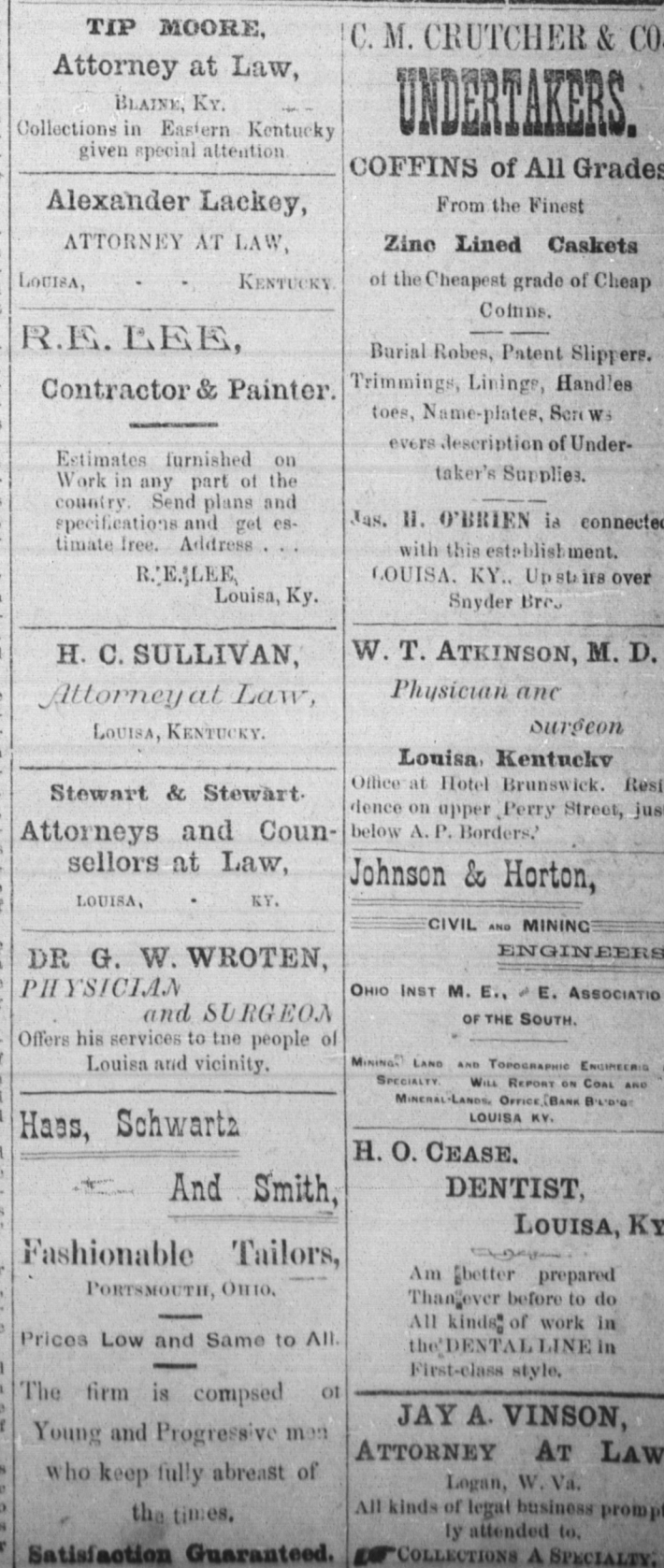


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FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 1894.

Democratic Ticket.

FOR CONGRESS,
ROLLA K. HART,
Of Fleming County.
FOR COUNTY JUDGE,
W. H. WOODS.
FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY,
G. W. SKAGGS.
FOR COUNTY CLERK,
ROBT. DIXON.
FOR SHERIFF,
J. W. SHANNON.
FOR JAILER,
R. S. CHAFFIN.
FOR ASSESSOR,
W. A. ARRINGTON.
FOR SURVEYOR,
J. R. DEAN.
FOR CORONER,
J. F. HATTEN.
FOR MAGISTRATE,
Dist. No. 1, A. J. Conley
" " 2, H. B. Hulet
" " 3, L. D. Webb
" " 4, M. F. Gambill
" " 5, M. B. Thompson
" " 6, R. H. Hinkle
" " 7, R. H. Hinkle

FOR CONSTABLE,
Dist. No. 1, J. L. Diamond
" " 2, A. R. Edmunds
" " 3, Jas. Lovejoy
" " 4, G. C. McCombs
" " 5, But Daniels
" " 6, Hugz Dobbins
" " 7, Hugz Dobbins

Evidences of prosperity are seen east, west, north, and south.

Levi P. Morton is willing to accept the Republican nomination for Governor of New York.

If the President should declare that "there is a God in Israel" it would make atheists out of a majority of the Republican party.

It is now said that the friends of Kolb in Alabama have abandoned their intention of contesting the governorship, and will run him for Congress.

5,000 negroes, members of the International Migration Society, will soon leave for Liberia, the Government of that country having offered each immigrant twenty-five acres of land and agricultural implements.

Hon. Wm. L. Wilson has been renominated for Congress by the Democrats of his district. The convention was the largest and most enthusiastic ever held in the State. His reception was more than an ovation.

The passage of the tariff bill has caused a revival in the wool trade, notwithstanding the dire predictions of the Republicans as to the passage of the free wool provision. The people are rapidly learning to take the Republican predictions at opposites.

The first bloodshed as a result of the candidacy of Col. Breckinridge was reported from outside of the district. John P. King, of Fayette county, and a strong Breckinridge man, killed George Cook in Clark county, because the latter questioned the character of the women who attended the Breckinridge meetings.

The importance of having at the head of the Treasury Department a man thoroughly familiar with the intricacies of tariff laws is shown in the promptness with which Secretary Carlisle explains away the apparent inconsistencies and impracticabilities of the new tariff law which are now puzzling many of the Collectors of Customs.

Col. Charles Denby, Minister to China, is desirous of resigning and having his son appointed to the office. Mr. Charles Denby, Jr., his son, has been Secretary of the Legation during his father's term of nine years, and is said to be proficient in the Chinese language, as well as popular at the court of the Emperor. Secretary Gresham is an old friend of the elder Denby, and it is thought he will make the appointment.

Republican Senator Leaves the Party.

Senator Jones, who has served 20 years as Republican U. S. Senator from Nevada, and whose present term will expire in 1897, has announced that he is no longer a Republican. He is an able man and has long been considered a standard authority on the silver question. He has had enough of Republicanism to convince him.

Notwithstanding the combination of the Populist and Republican and their claims of certain victory, the Democratic State ticket was elected in Arkansas by a largely increased majority last Monday. The straws are showing which way the wind is blowing.

Business is already beginning to revive in the gas belt. The Diamond Plate Glass factory at Kokomo, Ind., working 1,400 men is now operating day and night and Sundays, turning out more glass than at any period in its history. The Great Western Pottery Company, another large fuel consumer, located there, is operating at its full capacity.

One of the howlers about Democratic hostility to pensioners is Thos. A. Davis, a Republican editor at Maysville. This Democratic demonstration has just granted him a pension. Will he be just enough to quit his vapors? We fear not. He is of that partisan crowd of calamity howlers whose mission is to talk anti-Democratic in the bitterest terms and without regard for truth or justice.

A dispatch from Birmingham states that an industrial revival of the most pronounced proportions has struck Alabama since the passage of the Tariff Bill and the settlement of the miners' strike. Furnaces that have been idle for a year are being "blown in," and the iron trade is reviving. More coal is being mined in the Birmingham district than at any time during the past twelve months.

Ex-Speaker Reed divides the country into two sections, the North and the South. He says the South is peopled with fools and laggards and the North with men of ability and business sense. It may be easy for the North to agree with him, but here in Kentucky and in other Southern states it is pretty hard to swallow. The statement was made in the course of a Republican speech. It is a sample of his argument(?)

A party of coal men from the North West have gone up the Big Sandy Valley, under the guidance of John C. Mayo, that prince of Big Sandy hustlers, and C. K. Lawrence, our active, but modest townsman. This party is composed of some of the largest coal operators of Chicago and the larger cities of the Northwest, principally St. Paul, Minneapolis and West Superior. They are here making a complete examination of the resources of the Big Sandy Valley and with the above named gentlemen to guide them, they will not fail to be favorably impressed. Both were in the city this week and are confident that it cannot be long till the development of the Big Sandy territory is assured.—Arkland News.

Fourth-Class Postmasters in Luck.

Hereafter fourth-class postmasters will have another source of revenue to add to the many that now holds in the smaller settlements. He now can act as a notary public for persons and witnesses in pension cases only, and can charge the pensioner, not exceeding twenty-five cents, for each voucher to which he affixes the seal of his office. The new authority and emoluments in the village postmaster sprung from an act approved on the 23d inst., which "requires, empowers and authorizes" them to administer any and all oaths required to be made by pensioners and their witnesses in the execution of their vouchers with like effect and force as officers having a seal, and such postmaster shall affix the stamp of his office to his signature to such vouchers.

The Mt. Sterling Advocate says in regard to the proposed railroad from Morehead, through Morgan county, to Caney:

"Capt. Bross talked to the people of Morgan county last week in regard to the building of a road from Morehead by way of West Liberty to Caney. The company has decided to build the road, and Morgan county will be asked to meet her subscription which will be promptly done. Mr. Bross says his company will give \$100,000 to any company that will extend the Ky. and S. A. from Rothwell, and this amount with \$50,000, which could be given by Montgomery and others along the proposed line, ought to stimulate the C. and O. people to take up the matter. Our people should be in earnest and bring the matter promptly before Mr. Ingalls."

Farmers, Read this Plain Talk From a Brother.

CAT RIDGE, KY.
I have labored in all fair means to demonstrate to your readers that the distress of the agriculturist is the result of unfair legislation by the Republican party. All that I have said was said with a firm conviction resulting from honest search into musty facts which are matters of record and history.

I have a few notes of record that I want to submit to my brothers in fairness, and then I shall ask of you, Mr. Editor, no further space for the thoughts or efforts of COAL BLAST.

See what Mr. Wells, Special Commissioner under President Grant to investigate the practicability of reducing taxes says. In his report in speaking of the farmer: "He raises his wheat and other productions under a tariff, which, without affording any sufficient compensation, unnecessarily increases the cost of his tools, his clothing, his fuel, his fencing and his shelter." So you, my Republican friends, find your own commissioner pleading for a reduction of taxes that we may be fairly dealt with. See in another part of his report what he says, and to show you that these words are the words of the much known David A. Wells, I refer you to page 2066, Congressional Globe, 1869:

"Wheat produced under these circumstances costs a great deal more than it does in countries free from such embarrassments, and it does not sell for more. On the contrary, it has to compete in the market with wheat produced by the so-called 'pauper labor' of Europe, and returns to the farmer no more than the price of real pauper labor in America. Nor does it cheer the grower of wheat to reflect that while he suffers from a depreciated currency, and competes with the stable conditions, metallic values, cheap materials, and cheaper labor of other countries, contributing at the same time his share to the public revenues, he also makes much heavier contributions on his clothing, iron, lumber, coal, salt, and the like, not for revenue, but for the profit of industries more favored than his own, that they may be screened from the competition to which he is forced to submit."

Notice if you please what that great(?) and distinguished(?) Republican, Mr. Blair, says in debate in the U. S. Senate on the question of increasing the taxes or reducing them as Mr. Wells had advised: "Nor is there anything new in all this." Mr. Blair thus admits the truth of the allegation. Now, my farming friends, if Mr. Wells has told the truth in saying that our products are sold in a foreign country at a price to compete with the pauper labor of that country can it be otherwise than true that the American farmer is getting no more for his labor than are the "pauper labor" of Europe? In other words, if our wheat must be sold for the same price that theirs is sold for, do we get any more for our labor than they do? Then is not the American farmer working for the same wages that are the so-called pauper labor of Europe?

See what the Committee on Finance of the Fifty-first Congress says: "The competition in wheat growing has been developed in India, South America, Australia, and in the British possessions in North America is likely to make unprofitable the production of this cereal for exportation by our people." Why could not these artful dodgers have said unprofitable to the American farmer; as they as well as every one knows that the price of our wheat at home is what the same wheat will bring abroad, adding the price of transporting it.

Now, why is it that we cannot produce wheat at a profit? Because the cost of producing our wheat is not, as is true of manufactured goods, the basis of the selling price. The cost of farm products, as I said in a previous article, does not govern the market for said products; much less having a big protective tax to assist in forcing the market up.

My friends, please study a little these dazzling figures. We had, according to Mr. Dodge, an attachment of the Agricultural Department in 1890, nine million people employed upon the farms of this country. These 9,000,000 farmers are to-day supporting a nation of about 65,000,000 of people; and yet according to the Republican doctrine of a home market it would take something like as many more months to consume the amount of our surplus wheat that has to find a foreign market, using as a basis 41 bushels as did Mr. Dodge.

Then can these artful dodgers longer blind the eyes of the American farmer as they have heretofore done, until with all our improved machinery we cannot produce wheat for less money than a country that yet plows with a forked stick?

Mr. Editor, I have not conveyed my full thoughts upon this subject and will withdraw my pledge in the first of this article.

COAL BLAST.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder.

Awarded Gold Medal Midwinter Fair, San Francisco.
Among the incidents of childhood that stand out in bold relief as our memory reverts to the days when we were young, none are more prominent than severe sickness. The young mother vividly remembers that it was Chamberlain's Cough Remedy cured her of croup and in turn administered to her own offspring and always with the best results for sale by A. M. Hughes.

LITTLE BLAINE.

EDITOR NEWS:—If we knew that anybody read our last letter, we would tell what we promised concerning a certain candidate who six months ago would not deign to speak to us, but is now ready to grasp our horny hands, and even kiss our dirty-faced babes. Did you say to tell it? Yes? Well, what for? Better wait until you find out who the candidate is, for when he reads this his pride bump will decrease so suddenly that his best friends will not know him. Well, you seem to be anxious to hear, and we are anxious to tell you.

In the first place we think the gentleman is sadly mistaken if he thinks we are a soft-shelled, weak-kneed, back-honored family of bipeds that can't tell true friendship from a bowl of campaign soup. The time is coming and is now, when the people of Lawrence county are able to distinguish between a Judas kiss and a friendly smile. Do not think that we condemn hand-shaking and friendly words when they are expressions of a true and heartfelt love and friendship, but we do detest that despicable, contemptible half-heartedness that only prompts a face to smile when its wearer wants an office. In the second place, we have no faith in the friendship of a person who could never take time to ask forgiveness for injuries bestowed, until he actually needed our help. We do not believe in "Death bed repentance." And in the third place, we think the gentleman will have to bring a better recommendation than the one now under consideration before he can get a job in our county.

No names have been used yet. Can you guess whom we are talking about? Now if some candidate gets mad and plants his big guns and opens fire on the people of Little Blaine, let him shoot, for he will never find any of the mutilated fragments of "J. etc." on the battle field.

No school this week on account of the teachers' institute.

No sickness in our district, and nobody anxious, except for a Democratic victory—not anxious about it, but for its culmination. J. ETC.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder.

World's Fair Highest Award.
Cough leads to Consumption, Kemp Balm stops the Cough at once.

A Neighbor Candidate.

As announced elsewhere, Dr. L. P. V. Williams, of Morehead, Rowan county, is a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Railroad Commissioner in the Third Kentucky district. The Doctor is a young man yet, is a practicing physician, and a man that stands high among the people of Rowan county, among whom he has resided for several years past. We are informed that he was born of Democratic parentage, and has always been a Democrat in political principles; that he has been mild in requesting honors of his party, but has always carried the party banner to victory when nominated. He represented Bath and Rowan counties in the late Constitutional Convention. He asks an earnest consideration of his candidacy by the people of the Third district.—Ex.

\$100 Reward \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and given the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of Testimonials. Address, F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O.

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Mr. G. W. Flint, of Skylight, Ky., says: "I suffered for years with my kidneys, inflammation of the bladder and enlargement of the prostate gland. After a short trial of the Electropoise I am entirely relieved, and feel twenty years younger."

I have derived more benefit from the use of Electropoise than from all other remedies combined. I think it was the greatest invention of the age. It can not be praised too highly.—[Mrs. M. E. Gorman, Sadville, Kentucky, August 20.]

John H. Davis, Esq., of Barboville, Ky.: "The Electropoise is the best all-around doctor I know of. My wife suffered from the effects of a gripe for several years; also a complication of our other ailments. Now she is entirely well. One of my neighbors is well for long trouble, and all reports improvements."

As a curative agent the Electropoise can not be equaled. Nearly 1,000 have been put out from this in the last three months.

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IVORY SOAP.



BEST FOR SHIRTS.

THE PROCTER & GAMBLE CO., CHICAGO.

Keep Post-d, You Farmers.

The Courier-Journal says: "The farmer who has wheat and corn to sell this year will put money in his purse by informing himself thoroughly of the existing crop conditions before he parts with it. For the farmer who has raised a surplus of these grains, the present year brings a combination of circumstances unusual in character and decidedly in his favor. Predictions as to the course of the grain markets are too hazardous to be ventured by any prophet with a fair regard to his reputation. In a field where speculation plays so prominent a part, it is hard to tell what a few days or a few weeks may bring forth, but speculation after all, however erratic and confusing it may be for brief periods, is guided in the long run by natural conditions of supply and demand, and these conditions in respect to grain are for the current crop season decidedly out of the ordinary. It would be too much to say that wheat is sure to recover much of the decline in price that it has suffered within the past two years, but it is not too much to say that the chances are at present in favor of such a recovery."

For lame back or pain in the side or chest try saturating a piece of flannel with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and binding it into the affected parts. This treatment will cure an ordinary case in one or two days. Pain balm also cures rheumatism. 50-cent bottles for sale by A. M. Hughes, Louisville, Ky.

Columbian Spectator: A subscriber found a spider in his newspaper. The reader was superstitious. He wrote to the editor asking whether or not it was a bad omen. The editor said that the spider was merely looking through the columns of the paper to see what merchants were not advertising, so that he would know what door to spin his web over without fear of disturbance.

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Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder.

World's Fair Highest Medal and Diploma.

The engagement of John Hugg, an ex-printer of Charleston, and Miss Laura V. Lipp, of Washington, D. C., is announced. Who dare say there is nothing in a name? It makes a fellow's arms flop about like the wings of a devil fish, and his mouth keep time like a patent clothes wringer, to think of the bliss that is in store for this couple. Thrice happy should John and Laura be. Their names go well together. He'll get his Lipp, she her Hugg. And both Hugg and Lipp each other.—Ex.

In Poor Health?

means so much to you, you imagine—perhaps fatal diseases are at trilling ailments, neglected. Don't play with health.

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Dyspepsia, Kidney and Liver troubles, Neuralgia, Tremors, Constipation, Bad Blood, Malaria, Nervous Debility, Women's complaints. Get only the genuine—Beware of cheap imitations. On receipt of two or three cents will send you a Free Illustrated Book, Fair Value and Book Free. BROWN CHEMICAL CO., BALTIMORE, MD.



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Victor,	3.35
Anchor,	3.30
Jay Pride,	3.25
Fancy,	2.90

P. H. VAUGHAN, THE GROCER, LOUISA, KY.

From A Republican.

The Maysville Ledger is counted the leading Republican paper of this Congressional district, yet it is the author of the following. Can it be that Tom Davis has his eyes open?

"How does it come that when the Democrats went out of power in 1860 the government had been run for twenty years, and there was but five millionaires in the whole United States, and were a good price, farms free of mortgages, and tramps and strikes unknown; while after thirty years of Republican rule there are over 5,000 millionaires, and no price and surfeited with mortgages, strikes on all hands and tramps by the million?"

Harper's Magazine.

The magazine prints not only timely articles on events and places, but stories of the right length to read aloud by the evening lamp. The September Harper's contains "A New England Prophet," the story of an Adventist alarm, by Mary E. Wilkins; "The General's Bluff," founded on a frontier campaign of General Crook, by Owen Wister; "The Tug of War," a tale of "The Golden House," by Charles Dudley Warner's novel of the New York society, and the first of a two-part story of Narragansett Pier, by Brander Matthews.

Articles of Incorporation.

B. F. Webb, C. E. Webb, Fred Webb, the public and all whom may concern will take notice that the undersigned B. F. Webb, C. E. Webb and Fred Webb have associated themselves together and become incorporated under the act providing for the creation and regulation of private corporations.

The name of this corporation shall be the Webbville Milling Company. Its principal place of doing business shall be Webbville, Lawrence Co., Ky.

The general nature of the business to be transacted is a general milling business, buying and selling grain and seed and dealing in dressed and undressed lumber.

The amount of capital stock is two thousand dollars, divided into twenty shares of one hundred dollars each, paid in before the commencement of business.

The corporation shall begin business on the 18th day of Sept., 1894, and cease to exist Sept. 18, 1914. The residence of all the stockholders is Webbville, Ky.

The officers of the corporation shall consist of a board of three directors, and from the board shall be elected a president, vice president, secretary, treasurer and superintendent. One of said members may at the same time hold one or more of said offices, he being thereby elected. The officers shall be elected at the office of the milling company on the third Wednesday in Sept., 1894, and the same Wednesday in each succeeding year. The highest amount of indebtedness to which the corporation may at any time contract itself shall be one thousand dollars.

The private property of the members shall be exempt from the corporate debts of the corporation.

B. F. WEBB,
C. E. WEBB,
FRED WEBB.

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I expect the whole trade of the surrounding counties and to get this I will guarantee that every customer gets just what he pays for—pay me for good whiskey and you get it. Pay me for cheap whiskey and you get cheap whiskey. I can sell you

Whiskey from \$1.00 to \$3.50 per gallon.

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BIG SANDY NEWS.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 1894.

Capt. M. Froese is very sick.
Go to Remmele's for Sorghum bars.
Mrs. Capt. M. Froese is visiting in Ironton.
Jay Pride flour for \$3.25 at Vaughan's.
Dr. O'Boark and family arrived a few days ago.
Col. Northrup has cut a portion of his tobacco crop.
You can buy Golden Anchor flour at Vaughan's for \$3.20.
There was a good deal of disorder on our streets Tuesday night.
Sam D. Smith has sold his property above town to Col. Jay H. Northrup.
Mr. and Mrs. Fred McHenry visited at "Slasher" Jim Carter's last Sunday.
Haskell Wellman, of Catlettsburg, spent a few days of this week in Louisa.
John F. Hager, R. D. Davis and Sidney Ferguson, of Ashland, were here Tuesday.
Mrs. W. J. Crutcher and children, of Coal Grove, Ohio, are visiting relatives here.
Misses Hester Roffe and Belle Borders have returned from a visit down the river.
G. N. Waldeck has returned home for a two week's stay, when he will go to school at Cincinnati.
Mrs. Louise McComas, of Erie, W. Va. visited her sister Mrs. W. T. Evans, at this place Monday.
Miss Ceres Smith, of Round Bottom, W. Va., spent last Monday with Mrs. A. J. Lear at this place.
Democrats, come to Louisa on Monday, Sept. 17th, and hear Jack Hendricks speak. You will never regret it.
Lime, cement, lath, plastering, hair, salt and all grades of flour cheap. Apply to Frank Dameron at Wharf Boat.
Frank Pigg found some money last Wednesday morning. The owner can have it by calling at Wm. Remmele's and describing it.
Mrs. J. W. M. Stewart was called to Newport Saturday by the dangerous illness of her sister, Mrs. G. B. Usher, who has typhoid fever.
A tobacco grower has purchased 200 acres of land just across the river and will soon remove to it to engage permanently in the business.
Lost—Last Saturday morning, while on the way to the depot in Louisa, a lady's gold watch and chain. Finder will please report at the postoffice.
Those who miss hearing Jack Hendricks speak at this place on Monday, September 17th, will miss a rare treat. He is brilliant, eloquent and entertaining.
Prof. Leech and Miss Delia Andrews, of Catlettsburg, visited in Louisa this week, the latter the guest of Mrs. A. J. Lear, and the former of Prof. Anderson.
Mr. Chas. Wilson, Sr., celebrated his 93rd birthday last Saturday. He is in rather a feeble condition, but enjoys as good health as could be expected of a man so old.
Messrs. Hammond and White have thirty acres of good tobacco across the river, but it has suffered from want of rain lately. The last rain we had did not reach their crop.
Last Monday was a new legal holiday in this State. It was declared labor day by the Governor. The Bank of Louisa was the only institution which recognized the day here.
Mrs. Lou Sproule, of Buchanan, was brought before the court Monday and adjudged insane. The Sheriff took her to Lexington. She is about twenty years old and has been to the asylum before.
Mrs. John Chapman died in lower Louisa last Saturday afternoon, of fever. A husband and two small children survive her. The remains were taken to the old home place on the head of Blaine for burial.
Elder W. H. H. Adkins, of Polk, Ohio, will preach the funeral of old Mrs. Brannham and two other members of the family at the Cemetery near J. W. and D. D. Brannham's, the second Sunday in Oct.
Three courts were in session in Louisa at one time last Monday. Circuit Court, Commissioner's Court and regular term of Police Court. A large number of people were brought to town by these courts and the institute.
Incredible as it may seem, scorched leaves from the recent awful fires in the Northwest have been carried to this place. Myriads of them have been seen on the ground here. We have had no forest fires, and the presence of the leaves can be accounted for in no other way.
Saunders' face powders, the best made, for sale by Hughes.

Court Items.
S. H. Butler was adjudged \$5,000 for damages against his character by Lewis Thompson. In the case of A. L. Shannon, &c., vs Judge H. Webb, &c., a judgment was given on the mandamus, and an order issued to the lower court to release the plaintiffs from the Sheriff's bond. Divorces from their partners in life were granted to Sam U. Kelley, Maggie Adkins, Helen Lear and G. W. Lemings. A number of judgments have been rendered.
The grand jury adjourned last Saturday, having examined 137 witnesses. 71 true bills were found, as follows: 19 carrying concealed weapons; 13 malicious mischief; 11 breach of the peace; 5 selling spirituous liquors; 4 furnishing spirituous liquors on election day; 3 grand larceny; 2 assault and battery; 2 unlawfully practicing medicine; 2 obscene language on railroad coach; 2 disturbing a congregation; 2 racing horse on public highway; 2 petit larceny; 3 unlawfully taking and using property of another; 1 keeping saloon open on Sunday; 1 selling spirits to a minor; 1 shooting at another in sudden heat and passion; 1 shooting at another in sudden affray; 1 detaining a woman against her will; 1 breaking into a store house; 1 wilful murder; 1 public nuisance; 1 concealing the birth of a child; 1 burglary.
Jas. Lovejoy was granted a verdict for \$10,000 damages against Wm. Hughes for slander.
Clover Leaf flour \$3.40 per barrel at Vaughan's.
A warm time was had in Court last Monday over a road at Fallsburg.
Judge Kinner was sick Monday and Hon. F. T. D. Wallace was elected special Judge.
A Baptist Association is in progress about two miles out in the country, with a large attendance.
Rev. Condit delivered his interesting lecture on the Tabernacle at the M. E. Church Tuesday evening to a crowded house.
Col. Northrup has built a road from the dwelling on his farm down to the public road. A bridge has been built across Lick creek.
Dr. John Sturgill got the contract for the pauper practice for the ensuing year, and G. W. Pigg took the poor house at 60 cents a week per head.
According to reports received by the Louisville Post from nearly all the counties in the state it seems that Gen. Hardin has a decided advantage in the race for the nomination for Governor.
This shows how times are. The Building Association last night was unable to loan all of its money. All that was loaned went without a premium—something which has not occurred before for over two years.
Ben Stephens and Mart Borders, two young men living on Georges Creek, renewed an old family grudge last Monday and in the fight Borders was severely stabbed in the back. The wound is deep and serious.
The Institute met last Monday and will adjourn to-day. There is an enrollment of more than 100 teachers, and a good many visitors have been attending. Prof. Willis is an able instructor and seems to be well liked.
Rev. French left for Conference Tuesday with the best report that ever went up from his church in this place. The financial report was the best in this section, and will doubtless be one of the fullest presented at the Conference. We understand that there is a strong probability of the Conference being held at Louisa next year.
Last Saturday was the date fixed for receiving the names of those desiring employment on the dam at this place. 405 names were registered. Only about 150 men can be used—40 upon each of the three shifts and about 30 on the snagboats. Men with families were given the preference on the list. Orders for putting on the full force have been expected for some days and work will begin in earnest as soon as orders arrive.
Hiram Hurley applied at the clerk's office a few days ago for license for the marriage of his twelve-year-old daughter to John Mounts, a man about 26 years old. The clerk told him that he could not issue the license unless he would swear that she was 13 years, or more, of age. He said he would not like to do that. He went to a deputy in the country, however, and secured the license and the marriage took place Sunday.
Several changes have been made in the course of study in the Louisa Graded School. The course in the High School now is as follows: Seventh year, Grammar, Literature, Higher Arithmetic, first year in Latin, and Elementary Algebra. Eighth year, Geometry, Rhetoric, Higher Algebra, Caesar, Physical Geography and Natural Philosophy. The latest and most modern text books have been adopted and everything looks favorable to a successful school year.
You can now buy Clover Leaf flour at \$3.40 at Vaughan's.

POLITICAL FRACAS.
One Man Killed and Four Wounded.
The fight between Wilson and Camden forces in West Virginia has been growing hotter and hotter until in some sections it has reached fever heat. This is especially the case in Wayne, our neighbor county. Wilson spoke at the mouth of Trace Tuesday evening to a large crowd, composed largely of factions having differences of long standing. At the close of his speech Wilson drove away and U. S. Marshal S. S. Vinson took the stand for a brief reply. This incensed some of the Wilsonites, who started an effort to prevent Vinson from speaking. The attempt was met with resistance from the Vinson men, and from the use of rocks and clubs the participants soon began to use revolvers. A great number of shots were fired, resulting in the killing of James Frazell, and the wounding of Tobe Ferguson, Bob Frazier and Bob Bailey. Sam Ferguson was not engaged in the row, but was found on the roadside asleep and was struck in the face with a rock. Neither of the injured parties is seriously hurt. Frazell was not taking part in the row, but was in a conveyance starting for home. The ball struck him in the breast near the heart and passed entirely through. He lived about 12 hours. It is a deplorable affair.
The primary which is causing all the trouble will take place to-morrow. The feeling is so intense that a speaking and a disturbance almost always go together.
The Gang Routed.
The band of robbers arrested in Johnson county recently for robbing old man Candill met with positive treatment at the hands of the court.
George Pace plead not guilty, but the jury decided otherwise and emphasized their conclusion with a sentence of four years in the penitentiary. Garfield Arnett confessed and got three years at the Capital. Lee Yates and Henry Cree, the leaders, are in prison waiting for bail. Holbrook and Adams are out on \$1,000 bond. The latter turned State's evidence and told the whole story. The members bound themselves together by an oath. They had planned a number of robberies for the future.
Encouragement for Tobacco.
H. Feltman, Jr., representing the Morris House, a tobacco warehouse of Cincinnati, spent several days of this week in this vicinity investigating the tobacco crops. He expresses himself as agreeably surprised and highly pleased over the prospects of this year's crop and especially in regard to the future of our county and our neighboring territory across the river for tobacco raising. We are being heard of out in the world.
Vaughan for Clover Leaf flour, \$3.40 per barrel.
The Republican campaign in this county was formally opened last night.
DEMOCRATIC SPEAKING.
Gen. W. J. Hendrick will speak at Louisa, Ky., on Monday, September 17. Gen. Hendrick is one of the best speakers in the State, and no Democrat in Lawrence county should miss this opportunity. Everybody invited.
The attempt made last spring to replace County Treasurer Aug. Snyder with a Republican was renewed in the Commissioner's Court last Tuesday. The instigation was wholly partisanship and it was thought that the effort must succeed because a majority of the votes were supposed to stand ready to elect the chosen candidate as soon as the way for an election should be opened. The last attempt was a more signal failure than the first, if possible, though a lawyer was imported to take part in the case. The court held that there was no vacancy in the office and would not be until April, 1895, the time designated by the new law for the election of County Treasurers. Though not visible in the flesh, the fine(?) Italian hand of the Republican candidate for County Judge was plainly discernible in the proceedings. He led the fight last April, but this time he kept considerable space between himself and the Court; this space, however, was neutralized by an almost ceaseless flow of messages. A telephone line would have saved lots of leg service.
THE SMALLEST IS THE BEST.
There are a dozen well-known liver pills, but only one so effective that it can be guaranteed to give satisfaction, or the money be refunded. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are smaller, but better than the huge, old-fashioned pills, the medicinal agents are refined and concentrated.
Every one suffers, at some time or other, from Constipation, Biliousness, Headaches, Sick Stomach, and if you take these Pills, you will find them easy to take, and need not wait without shaking them up in little glass vials. They are put up in little glass vials, the cheapest, because guaranteed to give satisfaction. Remember that Dr. Pierce's Pellets are pleasant to take, pleasant in action, perfect in effect. Keep this in mind and you solve the problem of good health and good living.

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Here's Your Diagram.

Through the medium of his paper the Republican candidate for County Judge again speaks of the election-officer matter to which we have twice referred, and taking his article literally it seems that he has not caught the drift of our remarks; therefore it is necessary to go into detail further than was expected.

He thinks we have attacked the officers of election, and that we have denied "by implication" that they are "all good, upright and honorable citizens." Now, we have done neither. There is nothing in our utterances which can be so construed. Our attacks were directed entirely at the suspicious, selfish and partisan manipulation in connection with the list of election officers. It is the duty of the County Court to appoint officers of election.

The County Attorney suggested to the County Clerk (both officers of the Court) that they prepare a list to submit to the Judge as an aid in the dispatch of business. This was done and the County Attorney took it in charge; but before the list reached the Judge the Republican candidate for County Judge somehow got access to it and the result was that when the list was presented in open court it was very much altered. Whole precincts were changed. True, some were not changed, but the general slaughter proves that something else besides conscience influenced the action in these few cases. Why were these changes made in secret?

What prompted the r. c. e. j. to meddle with the list? What has he to do with such matters anyway? Perhaps he feels that he is near enough the County Judgeship to be entitled to a hand in it, but the majority of the people "don't think" they want elections free from all suspicion, and any effort at trickery, whether successful or unsuccessful, is odious to them.

It is very noticeable that the r. c. e. j. did not explain why he was so much interested in the selection of officers, and what his objections were to men removed from the list selected openly. "He certainly has denied by implication" that they are not "good, upright and honorable citizens," and that he was not willing to trust his interests with them. His action implies that he expected to gain an advantage over his opponent by substituting those names. We are glad to know, however, that the reputations of the men warrant the belief that they think more of their oaths than of the interests of any candidate.

We want a County Judge who will leave partisanship out of the courts.

If this is not plain enough we will try again.

Victor flour \$3.35 per barrel at Vaughan's.

Dead Letter List.
The following is a list of unclaimed letters remaining in the Louisa post-office Sept. 1, 1894.
If not called for before Oct. 1, they will be sent to the dead letter office. Please say advertised when calling for any of these letters:
Will B. Adams,
Wm. M. Blankenship,
Geo. Bradley, Jr.,
Charley Dameron,
Miss Cora Laney,
Miss Lottie Thompson,
Miss Carrie Workman,
Lindsay Wellman.
One cent due on each letter.
M. F. CONLEY, P. M.

To have your watch repaired in the best of order take it to Conley's.

A Maryland girl swallowed a hunk of chewing gum. It lodged in her vermiform appendix, and the attempt to remove it killed her. What the girls now call for is gum of the non-lodge-in-the-appendix sort, and it is found only at Hughes'.

In allowing the tariff bill to become a law without his signature, the Cincinnati Post says the following of the President.
In his characteristic letter to Congressman Catchings, Mr. Cleveland fully, and it may be said satisfactorily, explains his action.
There are two points in this communication that stand out prominently, and are the keystones to the whole, viz: the necessity for a tariff law, however crude, imperfect and unsatisfying it might be, to supersede the McKinley law, and the frank and manly admission by the writer that he does not claim to be better than the masses of his party.
In all this tariff muddle—and it has been a muddle—no one has charged President Cleveland with inconsistency. Nor can the charge be fairly made now that the bill has become a law minus his autograph. Indeed, history will prove that Grover Cleveland has been the most sincere tariff reformer of the whole Democratic Administration, Democratic Senate and Democratic House of Representatives.
The News keeps blotters for free distribution. When in need of them call at the post-office.

OUR NEIGHBORS.
The Aldine Hotel at Ashland has closed. Lack of business was the cause.
The postoffice at Kenters, Pike county, will be discontinued after the 15th.
Hon. J. A. Hughes was a candidate for the Republican nomination for Congress over in West Virginia, but came out too late. Warren Miller was nominated.
The Rowan county fiscal court has decided not to give the people a chance to vote upon donating \$10,000 to the proposed railroad line from Morehead to West Liberty.
A supplemental pension has been issued to Samuel F. May, of Salyersville, and a re-issue has been granted to Josiah Calvin, of Oil Springs, by the Democratic Administration.
A plot to escape from the Kentucky penitentiary was revealed by one of the prisoners a few days ago. The members of the Hatfield gang are reported to have been among the leaders in the plot.
Will Neikirk, charged with breaking into the Pikeville post office about two years ago, and who escaped from Frankfort recently, has been captured in Tennessee and is now in the Pike jail.
Jackson Hustler: Dick Minix recently attempted to sink a well on Oakly creek in Magoffin county and made one blast in the rock. Water was reached and on its surface was a thick skin of oil. Gas is so abundant in it that a torch brought within three feet of the surface ignites the gas.

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